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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Rhoades

Serial No.: 09/751,720

Filed: December 29, 2000

For: Secure Gateway Multiple
Automated Data Storage System
Sharing

Group Art Unit: 2136

Examiner: Colin, Carl G.

Attorney Docket No.: 99-039-TAP

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to Storage Technology Corporation Deposit Account No. 19-4545. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Storage Technology Corporation Deposit Account No. 19-4545.

In response to the Final Office Action of January 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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